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| FY 2005 (Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005                                                                                                                                   | LAM P1052                |                              |                                       |  |  |  |
| Application Number 10/680,895                                                                                                                                                                         | Filed October 8, 2003    |                              |                                       |  |  |  |
| For NITROUS OXIDE STRIPPING PROCESS FOR ORGANOSILICATE GLASS                                                                                                                                          |                          |                              |                                       |  |  |  |
| Art Unit 2813                                                                                                                                                                                         |                          | Examiner Nguyen, Thanh T.    |                                       |  |  |  |
| This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.                                                                |                          |                              |                                       |  |  |  |
| The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below):                                                                                       |                          |                              |                                       |  |  |  |
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| Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))                                                                                                                                                                       | \$1590                   | \$795                        | \$                                    |  |  |  |
| Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))                                                                                                                                                                       | \$2160                   | \$1080                       | \$                                    |  |  |  |
| Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27                                                                                                                                                 | ,                        |                              |                                       |  |  |  |
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|                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                              | Application No.                           | Application Number LAM P1052 |                   |                            |                                                     |  |
| FEE TRANSMITTAL                                                                                                                                                                                 |                              | Filing Date                               | Filing Date Oct              |                   | October 8, 2003            |                                                     |  |
| For FY 2005                                                                                                                                                                                     |                              | First Named I                             | First Named Inventor Zh      |                   | Zhu, Helen                 |                                                     |  |
| Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27 Examiner Name Ng                                                                                                                          |                              |                                           | Nguyen, Thanh                | Г.                |                            |                                                     |  |
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| Application Type                                                                                                                                                                                | Fee (\$)                     |                                           | (\$) Fee (\$)                | <u>Fee</u>        | (\$) Fee (\$)              | Fees Paid (\$)                                      |  |
| Utility                                                                                                                                                                                         | 300                          | 150 50                                    | - 250                        | 20                | 0 100                      | 1000                                                |  |
| Design                                                                                                                                                                                          | 200                          | 100 10                                    | - 50                         | 13                |                            |                                                     |  |
| Plant                                                                                                                                                                                           | 200                          | 100 30                                    | 0 150                        | 16                | 0 80                       |                                                     |  |
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| Provisional                                                                                                                                                                                     | 200                          | 100                                       | 0 0                          | (                 | 0                          |                                                     |  |
| 2. EXCESS CLAIM FE                                                                                                                                                                              | ES                           |                                           |                              |                   | Fee (\$)                   | Small Entity<br>Fee (\$)                            |  |
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| 3. APPLICATION SIZE                                                                                                                                                                             | FEE                          |                                           |                              |                   |                            |                                                     |  |
| If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper (excluding electronically filed sequence or computer                                                                               |                              |                                           |                              |                   |                            |                                                     |  |
| listings under 37 CFR 1.52(e)), the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s). |                              |                                           |                              |                   |                            |                                                     |  |
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| 4. OTHER FEE(S)  Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)  Fees Paid (\$)                                                                                                |                              |                                           |                              |                   |                            |                                                     |  |
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